

House Resolution No. 4455

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives recognize the significance of the institution of marriage as a vital foundation of American society and wholeheartedly believe that a successful union can be achieved only through a loving relationship of mutual honor, respect, and trust; and

Whereas, a period of five and one-half wondrous decades has passed since Raymon Nixon lovingly took the hand of his beautiful bride, Ginger Grimmett, during a solemn ceremony on June 23, 1952, in De Queen Arkansas; and

Whereas, in the years since that heavenly day, Raymon and Ginger Nixon have had the pleasure of raising three children, Sue Gale Nixon, Richard Wayne Nixon, and David Allen Nixon, and the privilege of spoiling two grandchildren; and

Whereas, now retired, Raymon Nixon has compiled an impressive record of achievement that includes serving twenty-three years in the United States Army, as a Supervisor of Electrovert Electronics, an ordained minister of gospel, and a fifteen-year board member of the senior food program at Central Missouri Area Agency on Aging, just to name a few; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and exemplary homemaker, Ginger Nixon has further distinguished herself in numerous ways, a few of which include being an ordained minister, President of the Christian Women's Club, and a church board member; and

Whereas, during their fifty-five years together, Raymon and Ginger Nixon have cherished each other every day in sickness and in health with the love so deep in their hearts; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Nixon of Stoutland commemorated the resplendent occasion of their Fifty-fifth Wedding Anniversary with a special celebration on June 23, 2007, in Lebanon:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Raymon and Ginger Nixon and in wishing them only the best as they continue their journey walking hand-in-hand along life's path; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Nixon.

Offered by _____
Representative Darrell Pollock
District No. 146

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 4455, adopted August 14, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker